

THE GAZETTE.

TUESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 28.

Miscellaneous News.

Edward Sparks, an old and highly respected citizen of Annapolis, Md., died last Friday, in his 74th year. He was many years ago a professor in St. John's College, and in 1861 had charge of the naval store in the United States Naval Academy while at Newport, and was for many years a practicing physician in Annapolis.

A number of Kentucky freedmen sailed from New York on Wednesday, in the bark Thomas Pope, for Liberia. Rev. M. D. Herndon, for sixteen years a missionary in the Bassa nation, is in charge of the expedition. Each family receives twenty-five acres of fertile land, and provisions free for six months.

The force of the Cuban rebellion seems to have been weakened since the crowning of the new king of Spain. The impression is said to prevail on the island that he will initiate reforms which will remove the most serious causes of complaint against Spanish oppression and excesses.

The Senate, on Saturday, passed the bill to revise, consolidate and amend the statutes relating to patents and copyrights, the bill authorizing the appointment of an additional United States judge for Arkansas, and the bill providing for the Philadelphia exposition.

Great complaint is made by both English and Americans that the islands of San Juan and De Hax's group, to which both governments lay claim, are used as depots for smugglers, who defy both authorities and cannot be interfered with.

CHOICE BOOKS JUST RECEIVED AND FOR SALE AT

FRANCIS'S BOOK AND STATIONERY STORE,
No. 93 King street.

Holiness Through Faith. Light on the Way of Holiness, by the author of "The Secret of Victory," etc., 60c.
Stories for Sundays, illustrating the Catechism, revised and edited by Bishop Cox, \$1.25.
Readings for Every Day in Lent, compiled from the writings of Bish. Jeremy Taylor, \$1.50.
Steps Upward, by Mrs. Frances Dana Gage, author of "Elsie Magoon," "Gertie's Sacrifice," etc., \$1.50.
Himself His Worst Enemy, or Philip's Duke of Wharton, Career, by A. P. Brotherhead, \$2.
The Science of Money, a Great Truth: How Legal Tender, Bills of Exchange, Exports, Imports, Balance of Trade and of Exchange; all simplified and made clearly manifest; 1 volume, \$1.50.

The American Sportsman, containing hints to sportsmen, notes on shooting and the habits of the game birds and wild fowl of America, by Elisha J. Lewis, M.D., with numerous illustrations, 1 vol., 8vo., \$2.00.
The True Knight, a monthly magazine, devoted to the Order of Knights of Pythias, March number now ready; price \$2.50 per annum.

Another lot just received of two remarkable books—Valene Aymler and the Cryptograph. New Books daily.

G. E. FRENCH.

NON-EXPLOSIVE COAL OIL LAMPS.

PERKINS & HOUSE'S PATENT.

Having received the agency for the above in this section of the State, I respectfully request the public to call and examine the same. They are absolutely safe from explosion, and being constructed on the principle of Sir Humphrey Davy's safety lamp, cannot explode. Mr. W. H. Ruffner, Superintendent of Public Instruction for the State of Virginia, writes:

"I have used one of Perkins & House's Non-Explosive Kerosene Lamps for more than a month. Before trying it, I took it to pieces and saw that it was constructed on the principle of Davy's safety lamp, and that with proper use no flame could possibly find admission to the lamp, although it may be filled with explosive gas and lighted while in that condition. My use of it has confirmed my good opinion of the lamp, and I intend substituting it throughout my house for the dangerous lamp now in use. I consider the invention an important contribution to the safety of persons and property."

For sale at 69 King street, Alexandria, Va. feb 8-ec3m

E. J. MILLER.

POTOMAC TRANSPORTATION LINE.

THE STEAMER EXPRESS,

Capt. A. C. NICKLE.
Will resume her route on Tuesday, February 28, leaving pier No. 10 Light street wharf, Alexandria, EVERY TUESDAY, at 4 p. m., for Alexandria, Washington and Georgetown, stopping at the following way points on the Potomac river: Piney Point, Stone's wharf, Coburn, Choptank wharf, Chapel Point, Mathias Point, Smith's Point, Nanjemoy Stores and Pea's wharf.

Returning, will leave Sixth st. wharf, Washington, EVERY SATURDAY, at 6 a. m., and King street wharf, Alexandria, at 7 a. m.

BROTHERS & CO.,
No. 111 King street, Alexandria.

PENSIONS FOR SOLDIERS OF THE WAR OF 1812.

A law has just passed, Congress granting pension to certain soldiers and sailors of the war of 1812, and the widows of deceased soldiers and sailors of said war.

Having made an arrangement with an active and reliable agent in Washington for prosecuting and securing the claims of those who are entitled to the benefit of this law, I will give prompt attention to all cases entrusted to me.

LAWRENCE B. TAYLOR,
Attorney at Law.

SHERIFF'S NOTICE TO TAX-PAYERS.

On and after February 1st, 1871, my office will be on Washington street, adjoining the drug store of Dr. Pierpont. We will respectfully ask persons who have not paid their State and county taxes for 1870 to call and settle. The continuance of the public schools depends upon the payment of taxes promptly. The unpaid taxes for 1869, with interest, must be settled.

I. C. O'NEAL,
Sheriff Alexandria co., Va.

IN STORE.

15 bbls very fine pure Old Rye Whiskey.
15 half bbls
30
Gibson's fine Wheat XXX do.
50 bbls very old extra fine Wheat Whiskey.
Old Hennessy Brandy, Reserve, Madeira, Hunt's Double Diamond Port, Diamond, Pure Jamaica Spirit, and Holland Gin, selected for my own trade, and offered as low as similar goods can be bought in any other market.

R. M. LAWSON.
No. 147 King street, Alexandria, Va.

\$5 REWARD—COW LOST.

A reward of \$5 will be paid for the recovery, or information that will lead to the recovery, of a LIGHT BRINDLE COW, crop and slant in the left and crop and two slits in the right ear, some white on the back between the hips; white breast and white bag, and lower part of the tail white, and large S branded on left rump.

CICERO BECKHAM,
O. A. & M. R. K. shops.

HAVING BEEN APPOINTED AGENTS,

we are prepared to furnish the celebrated "JERSON GOVERNOR" at factory prices. No engine should be without one. It is the most perfect Governor in use, saving from 10 to 15 per cent of fuel, besides securing great uniformity in speed.

JAMESON & COLLINS,
Corner of Royal and Wilkes streets, Alexandria, Va.

CANNED FRUITS AND VEGETABLES—

a full line—for sale low by
AVERY & DAVIDSON,
226 King st., cor. Alfred.

WINDOW GLASS—We have just received

a large lot of French Window Glass direct from the importers. For sale by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

10,000 BUSHELS SHELL LIME,

an excellent Fertilizer, for sale by
SHINN & CO.,
13 Union street.

SIMMONS' LIVER REGULATOR—See

advertisement on first page of the Gazette—A large supply received and for sale by
E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.

FOR SALE OR RENT.

FOR RENT—A good BRICK DWEL-
LING, convenient to the A. & M. R. R. Apply to BECK, KNOX & KERRY,
Real Estate Agents, 97 King st. feb 27-ec3t

FOR RENT—The HOUSE, 189 Cameron
street, now occupied by Major Wilmer D. Corse. Has recently been repainted. Rent moderate. Apply to S. C. NEALE, 79 Prince st. feb 22-1t

FOR RENT—TWO COMFORTABLE
HOUSES, on Royal street, between Prince and Duke. Apply to
JOHN T. EVANS.

FOR RENT—That large and most de-
lignious BRICK HOUSE, No. 58 Washing-
ton street, corner of Queen. This is a most de-
lightfully situated house, with 18 rooms, in a
most healthy and pleasant neighborhood; is in
good order and condition; has large yards on
the west and south, with grapes, fruit trees and
flowers. E. J. LLOYD,
dec 5-1t No. 134 Queen street.

FOR SALE—The eligibly situated three-
story BRICK HOUSE, 106 Duke street, be-
tween Pitt and St. Asaph, containing ten rooms
and bath room, with hot and cold water. The
house is furnished throughout with gas and fix-
tures, and is a most desirable residence, being lo-
cated in a pleasant neighborhood. The adjoin-
ing lot is offered with the above-mentioned prop-
erty, or it will be sold separate if desired. For
terms apply at No. 40 south St. Asaph st. [no 10]

GROCERIES.

EXTRA INDUCEMENTS!

REDUCTION IN GROCERIES!

A new stock of Fresh Teas and Groceries just
received—Choice Gunpowder, Imperial, Old
and Young Hyson, Japan, English Breakfast,
Oolong and Black Teas. These Teas having been
selected with great care, we guarantee the quality
and price to suit the trade.
A full stock of Demerara V. P. Porto Rico
Refined Sugars and Golden Syrup.
Rio, Laguna and Old Govt. Java Coffee.
3 lbs Shoulder, Mitting and Breakfast
Bacon.
2 tierces Plain and Sugar-cured Hams.
2 tierces Prime Leaf Lard.
12 boxes prime Family Cheese.
Fine stock of English and American Sauces,
Pickles and Canned Goods. B. & O. Oil, Vinegar,
Dressing, a full stock of Bakers' Old Rye Whis-
key, and a large assortment of other brands of
choice Rye Whiskies and Wines; English Ale
and Brown Stout constantly on hand—together
with a large stock of Fine Family and Fancy
Groceries, all of which will be sold at reduced
prices. All persons wishing bargains will do
well to call at
GEO. MCBURNEY & SON'S,
Washington Hall Building,
170 King street.
feb 6

ANOTHER GREAT REDUCTION

IN THE

PRICE OF TEAS AND COFFEES.

TEAS:
Japan, uncolored, \$1; Best Extra, 1.30
Oolong, 80 and 90c; Best, 1.20
English Breakfast, 80c and \$1; Best, 1.20
Imperial, \$1.15; Best, 1.40
Gunpowder, \$1.30; \$1.50; Best, 1.80
Young Hyson, 90c, \$1; Best, 1.40

Remember that we guarantee our Teas to be
fresh, pure and unadulterated, and if not satis-
factory will be exchanged.

COFFEES:

Java, Mocha, Ceylon, Maricao, Laguna and
Rio, Green, Roasted or Ground, if desired, from
3 to 6c per pound less than formerly. We use
great care in the selection of our Coffees, and
guarantee them to give entire satisfaction.

We would also call attention to our stock of
Jellies, Canned Goods, French, English and
American Mustards, Cross & Blackwell's Pick-
les, American Pickles, Peas, Beans & Corn, can-
died, from 30 to 60c per pound.

Every variety of Spices, perfectly pure, ground
and whole. A liberal discount to the trade.

CHINESE TEA COMPANY,
No. 11 North Royal street,
Near the Market.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

G. W. M. RAMSAY,
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Is reducing stock in order to remove, and is
prepared to give bargains in

FINE FAMILY & FANCY GROCERIES.

FOR CASH.

RICHARD W. AVERY, F. J. DAVIDSON,
AVERY & DAVIDSON,
Dealers in
CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES, WINES,
AND LIQUORS.
No. 226, King street, corner of Alfred,
Jan 14-1t Alexandria, Va.

GEORGE MCBURNEY & SON.

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Family and Fancy Groceries,
Foreign and Domestic Wines and Liquors, Eng-
lish Ale and Brown Stout.
Washington Hall Building, 170 King st.,
Jan 10 Alexandria, Va.

J. CLINTON MILBURN.

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
GROCERIES,
Corner Cameron and Royal streets,
[Opposite the Market,]
my 3-1t Alexandria, Va.

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FAMILY GROCER,
And Dealer in
Fine Teas, Coffee, Sugars, Pickles, American
and English, Canned Goods, Tobacco,
Sugars, etc., etc.
179 King street, above Washington.
N. B.—All orders from the country shall re-
ceive prompt attention. ap 11-1t

G. W. M. RAMSAY.

Wholesale and Retail
GROCER,
147 King street,
Alexandria, Va.
mh 25-1t

F. G. SWAIN.

No. 22 North Royal st.
[Two doors south of old stand.]
Has on hand and is constantly receiving fresh
invoiced
GROCERIES, WINES & LIQUORS,
which he will sell cheap for cash. fe 26.

LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEED.

We have received our usual spring supply of
LANDRETH'S GARDEN SEEDS,
which we are now prepared to sell to our num-
erous friends and customers in larger or smaller quan-
tities. All our Seeds are warranted fresh and
genuine. We also have a few copies of Land-
reth's Rural Register for gratuitous distribution.
Call and get one at
COOK & CREIGHTON'S,
Jan 31 107 King street.

GOODRICH'S PATENT TUCKER, MEAS-

URER AND MARKER.—Just received
direct from the factory a supply of the above ex-
cellent Tuckers. I have sold six dozen of them
to parties who have purchased machines of me,
and would ask all who have not got them to call
and see them in operation.
C. C. BERRY,
Agent Singer Manufacturing Co.
SALT! SALT! SALT!
To arrive per schr Cornelius—
400 sacks Washington Fine Salt.
300 sacks Stubbs & Boy Fine Salt.
Will be sold at market rates by
W. A. SMOOT,
feb 15-1m Smoot's wharf.

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ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Will practice in the Courts of Alexandria and
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No. 10 South Royal street.
Office hours from 8 to 10 a. m. and 3 to 9 p. m.
Jan 3-3m

CHARLES WHITTLESEY,

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—AND—
ATTORNEY AND COUNSELLOR IN
BANKRUPTCY.

Congress having just amended the Bankrupt
law so that nearly all parties can be discharged
from their debts unobstructed by the fifty per
cent. clause, so-called, another opportunity offers
to secure the benefits of this most effective and
permanent measure of relief. The above-named
will make bankrupt business a specialty; will
procure discharges on the most moderate terms,
and transact all business in that line at prices
which cannot fail to be satisfactory. Being United
States Commissioner he will endeavor to visit
the different counties on court days, and thus
save parties the trouble and expense of several
trips to Alexandria in beginning and proceeding
with their cases. Discharges can be obtained
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parties. It may be added that the Bankrupt act,
in connection with the Homestead exemption,
which it is now believed will be secured to the
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lot now offered to parties struggling in the
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the preservation of the natural teeth, and will
continue to do so, and invite those who wish to
save them to call on him, knowing that many are
extracted and destroyed that by proper treat-
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life. Artificial teeth inserted only as approved
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BRENTSVILLE, PRINCE WILLIAM CO., VA.

Will attend promptly to any business in the
Courts of Prince William, Fairfax and Stafford
counties.
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LADIES' BUTTON BOOTS.

A fine stock: French Kid, Velvet, English
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which cannot be surpassed for beauty, durability
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At WADDEY'S, 74 King street.

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A large stock, and a great variety of new
styles, French Calf, Pebble Goat, Russia Leather,
Lasting Pebble Goat, Foxed, Lasting French
Kid, Foxed, Lasting Calf Foxed, Plain Goat
Morocco and Calf Boots, at very low prices.
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A great many new styles, handsome and very
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PERS.

Ladies' French Kid Broadway, Ladies' Lasting
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Slippers, in every style and quality.
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A fine stock of new styles, beautiful, durable
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In every style, quality and price.
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Men's Arctic, Congress and Plain Cloth
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A large stock: Goat, Calf and Morocco Opera,
Cloth, Carpet and Plush Plain Slippers, very
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GARDEN SEEDS!

We have just received and opened for sale a
large stock of fresh and genuine GARDEN
SEEDS, comprising all the best and most desir-
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with great care from the most reliable American
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faction in all cases. We offer them for sale in
any quantities to suit the wants of purchasers,
and all at as reasonable prices as good seeds can
be sold.
JANNEY & CO.,
feb 8

ARRIVED AND FOR SALE.

400 bushels SALT WATER FISH.
300 bushels WHITE PEACH BLOW POT-
ATOES.
40 lbs New York packed APPLES—all of-
fered at lowest market rates by
JOHNSON, COLE & CO.,
No. 42 North Fairfax street, and at our stands in
market. feb 6

AXES! AXES!—Mann's Red Warrior, Yan-

kee and Kentucky Patterns, at
CARLIN & SONS,
feb 3

BEANS!—10 bbls White Beans received to-

day by [Jan 27] J. C. MILBURN.

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GEORGE C. HENNING,

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will be larger, the assortment more choice, and
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CLOSER PRICES
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BEYOND COMPETITION.
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Strangers visiting the city are invited to
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His DRESS SHIRTS have achieved a reputa-
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As heretofore,
ONE PRICE ONLY, IN PLAIN FIGURES.
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If you want an article you have looked for
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